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Applicants: Keitaro IMAI et al.

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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

Group Art Unit: 2815

Examiner: CHU, C. C.

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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In response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the remarks as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.